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Sir:

This is in response to the Official action of October 18, 2005. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3.